### MOTION BY SUPERVISOR YVONNE B. BURKE

July 31, 2007

### **EXTENSION OF REWARD FOR DEMETRIS PERRY**

On February 6, 2007, the Board of Supervisors approved a reward offer of \$10,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person(s) responsible for the heinous murder of Demetris Perry. The reward offer was extended on May 1, 2007, but will expire on August 5, 2007.

On Friday, January 26, 2007, at approximately 6:00 PM, at Charles Drew Middle School, located at 8511 Compton Avenue in the Florence Firestone area of Los Angeles Demetris Perry, age 23, was fatally shot.

The shooting started when three men entered the school's gym, a "gang expletive" was shouted and Mr. Perry -- who was at the campus with a number of other people playing basketball -- was shot, authorities said. Demetris Perry leaves behind his mother and extended family.

Sheriff's Department investigators stated that the offer of a reward may encourage individuals to come forth with information which may aid in the homicide investigation.

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## I, THEREFORE, MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

Approve the extension of the \$10,000 reward in return for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person(s) responsible for the heinous murder of Demetris Perry, who was fatally shot at Charles Drew Middle School, located at 8511 Compton Avenue, in the Florence-Firestone area of Los Angeles on Friday, January 26, 2007, at approximately 6:00 p.m.

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